Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 24 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Friday 25 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 23 Sep 2020 at 15:19

Confidence: High confidence for weather story, but moderate confidence for timing of showers and low for thunderstorm risk on Thursday.

Headline for Thursday 24 Sep 2020: Frequent heavy showers with a risk of hail.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 24 Sep 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Medium Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Hail showers (night)	Heavy rain showers (night)	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers (night)	Heavy rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	70%	70%	80%	80%	80%	70%	70%

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Weather: After a dry and cloudy start, heavy showers will arrive overnight. Frequent heavy showers will continue through the day with a risk of hail at times, and possibly the odd rumble of thunder. Showers will be blustery at times as well. There will be few dry periods and skies will stay cloudy. Cloud bases may lower occasionally to give fog over the hills.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90%. Cloud bases may lower to 500m at times, particularly in the evening during any heavy showers.

Visibility: Generally 40km but 4000m in heavy showers, down to 2000m in hail showers and 100m in fog.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	9/13 S	23/28 SE	24/33 SE	25/34 SW	26/36 SW	17/25 S	13/17 SE	24/31 N	27/35 N
600	9/12 S	17/23 SE	19/27 SE	18/27 SW	21/31 S	14/22 S	9/14 NE	19/26 N	20/28 N
300	6/10 S	12/22 SE	14/26 SE	12/24 S	15/28 S	11/20 S	6/11 NE	13/23 N	13/25 N
Valley	6/10 S	12/22 SE	13/23 SE	13/24 S	16/28 S	11/20 S	7/12 NE	14/24 N	15/27 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	4/0	3/-3	3/-4	3/-4	3/-4	3/-2	3/-1	3/-3	2/-4
600	6/3	6/1	5/-0	5/0	5/-0	5/1	5/2	5/0	4/-1
300	8/6	8/4	7/4	8/4	8/4	8/5	7/6	7/4	7/3
Valley	9/8	9/6	8/5	9/6	10/6	9/7	9/7	8/6	8/5
Freezing Level*	1300m	1300m	1400m	1300m	1200m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

No comments.

Forecast for Friday 25 Sep 2020

Weather: Sunny spells and scattered showers on Friday, most frequent in the morning. A windy day and feeling cold in the northerly wind.

Maximum wind: North-northwesterly 15mph gusting 30-35mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 100%

Visibility: Generally 40km, but 6000m in showers and 4000m in heavy showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius, becoming plus 13 Celsius.
At 800m: 5 Celsius.
Freezing level: 1300m

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